

PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLASTIC

CHESS TOURNAMENT

President's Day Monday, February 19th, 2024

Chinook Middle School

2001 98th Ave NE, Bellevue, WA 98004



DUAL RATED

SECTIONS

K-2 Open, 3-12 U1200,

3-6 Open, 7-12 Open

A 5-round G/25; +5 Swiss. For advanced beginner to advanced players. Dual Northwest and US Chess Rated. US Chess membership required. **Clocks and notation required.** All equipment is provided.

NORTHWEST-ONLY

SECTIONS

Kindergarten, 1-2 U700,

3-4 U700, 5-12 U900

A 5-round G/30 Swiss. For novice to intermediate players. Northwest rated only. US Chess membership not required. No clocks used from the start, but a 10-minute clock with 5-sec increment will be placed into the game after 35 minutes of play.

SCHEDULE

Rounds: 9:15am, 10:45am, Lunch Time, 12:30pm, 1:45pm, 3:00pm. Awards presentation ~ 4:30pm or asap.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all students in grades K-12. Out-of-state players welcome!

ENTRY FEE

\$45 by Feb. 12th, \$55 after. Room for 250 players.

AWARDS

Section Prizes: Amazon e-gift cards awarded in each section: 1st – 10th: \$65-\$60-\$55-\$50-\$45-\$40-\$35-\$30-\$25-\$20.

Team Prizes: Plaques awarded to the top 5 finishing teams (top 4 scores from same school comprise team score) across all sections.

Special Prizes (per section): Medals for first-time players, best female player (by TPR), and biggest upset win.

RATING

Higher of US Chess February regular or current NWSRS rating used to determine section and pairings.

THE DETAILS

100% pre-registered, no on-site entries or payments. Entry + payment deadline Sun. Feb. 18th @ 5:00pm. Unpaid players by the deadline will be withdrawn from the tournament.

WA State Elementary Qualifier!

This event is a **qualifier for the WA State Elementary Championship** on May 4, 2024, in Kennewick. Players scoring 3.0+ points will qualify for State.

Online Registration: NWchess.com/OnlineRegistration/ Pay by Credit/Debit/PayPal.

Pizza lunch and other concessions will be available for purchase on site.

Questions?

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